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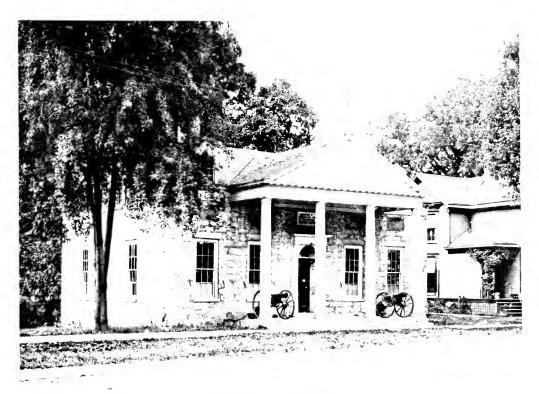
ATAVIA was founded by Joseph Ellicott, Local Agent of The Holland Land Co., in April 1802. His first office was located at the bend of the Tonawanda Creek near where the present Land Office now stands.

Batavia received her name from the suggestion of Mr. Paul Busti, General

Agent of The Holland Land Co., of Philadelphia, Pa.

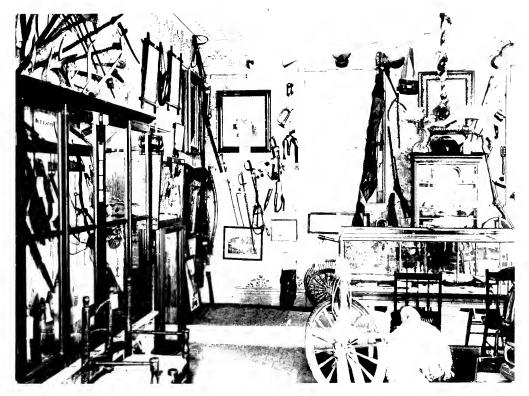
The first house was built in March 1801, on the site directly opposite the present Land Office. Batavia is located midway between Buffalo and Rochester. It is the County Seat of Genesee, the Mother of Western New York. From a small hamlet, Batavia has grown into a thriving town of 10,000 inhabitants. Her manufactured goods include Agricultural Implements, Patent Carriage Wheels, Guns, Finished Wood-work for office buildings, residences etc., Shoes, Paper Boxes, etc., etc. Batavia has wide, regular streets, lined with grand old trees. Hundreds of beautiful residences are scattered over the town. Among the sights of interest are: New York State School for the Blind, surrounded by well kept grounds and shady walks and drives; The Holland Land Office; Morgan Monument; Richmond Mausoleum. Batavia has reason to be proud of her public schools, which stand among the highest in the State: also of her Railroad facilities, being located on the main line of the New York Central, Erie and Lehigh Valley Railroads, thus being able to ship goods in all directions, and at the lowest rates. Batavia also owns her own Electric Light Plant. The Board of Trade extends every facility to manufacturing concerns wishing to locate.

A hearty welcome is extended alike to visitors, and those who may wish to settle here. Come and see our beautiful town.



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LAND OFFICE INTEREST.



VIEW OF JACKSON STREET.

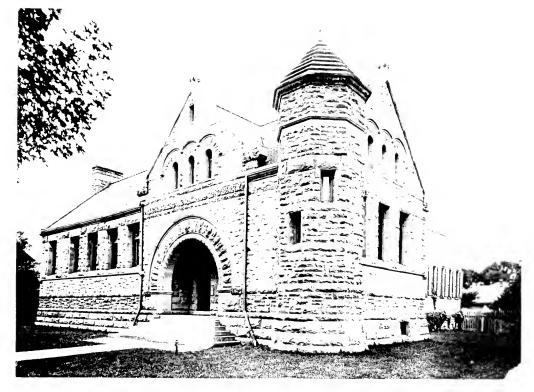




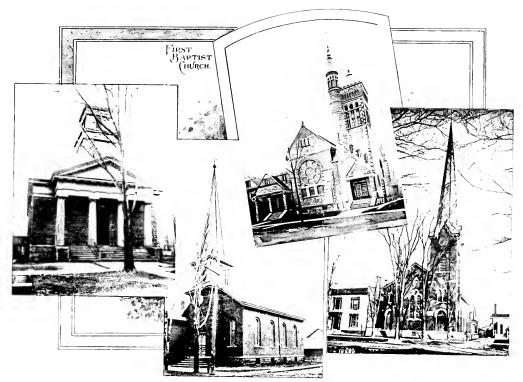
HOTEL RICHMOND

Main Street, Looking East.



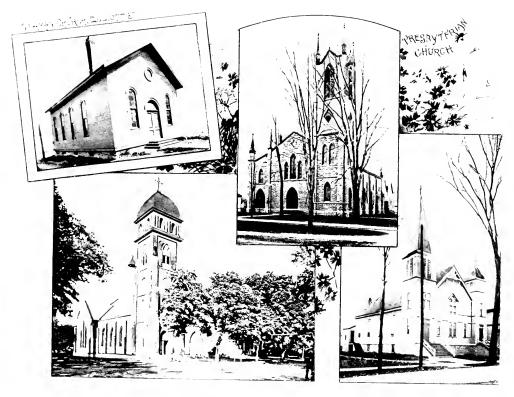


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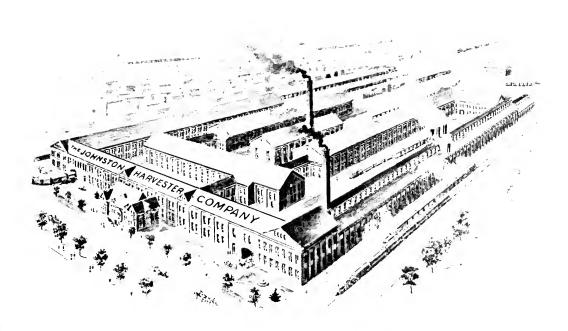
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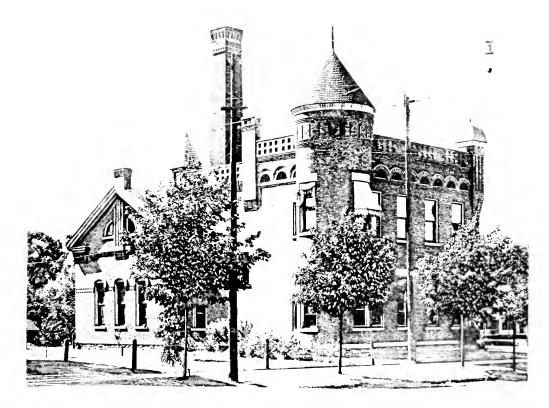
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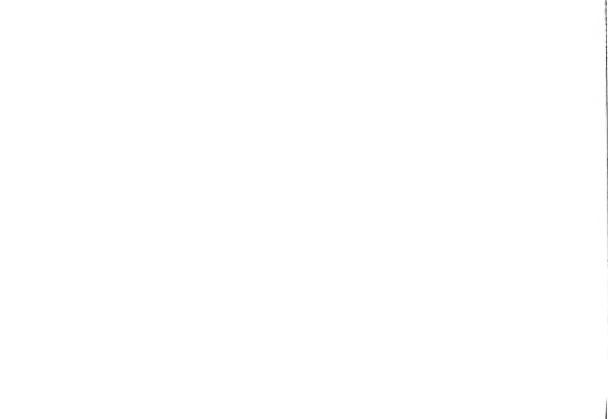


THE JOHNSTON HARVESTER COMPANY.





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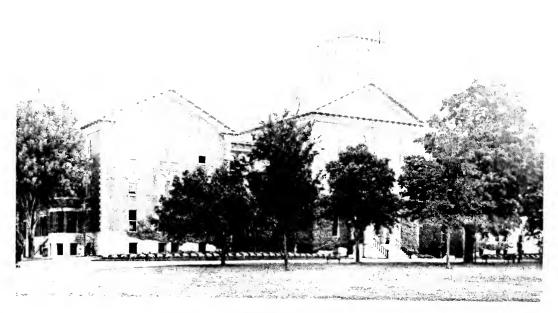




Morgan Monument.

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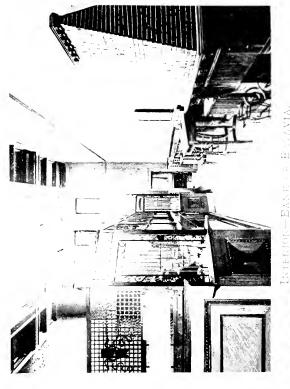


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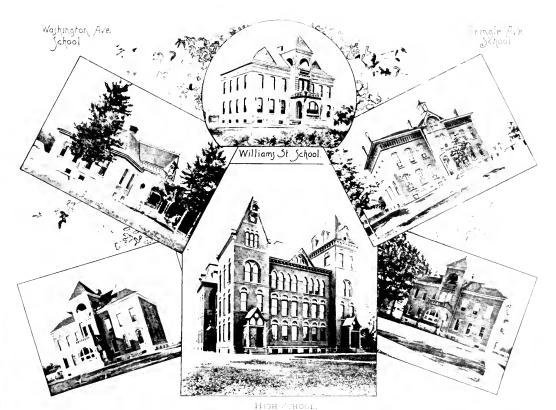


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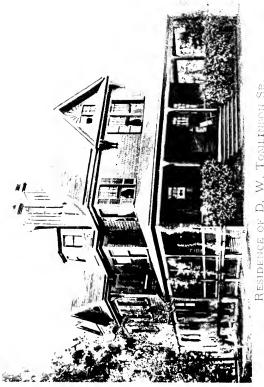


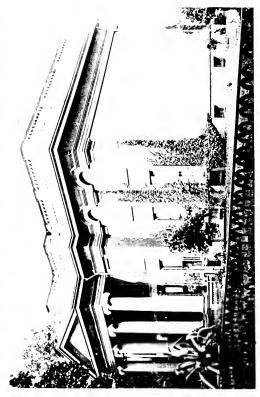


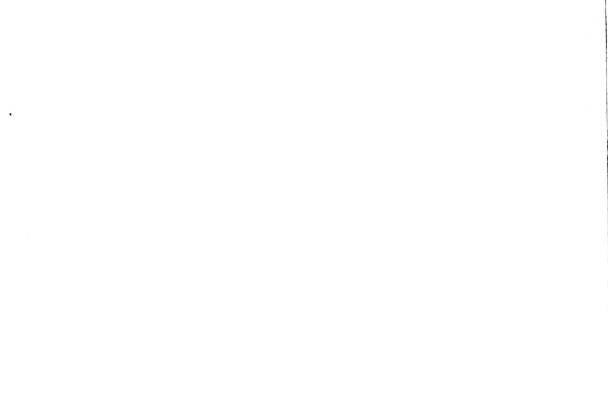
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